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PUBLIC PRINTER TO ADDRESS NATION'S LIBRARIANS AND ANNOUNCES LIBRARY OF THE YEAR

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WHO: The Public Printer of the United States, Bruce James, will address hundreds of librarians at the Fall Federal Depository Library Conference & Depository Library Council Meeting. The Federal Depository Libraries work with the U.S. Government Printing Office to provide Americans with authentic published Government information.

WHAT: James will announce this year's Federal Depository Library of the year. The award goes to a library for its outstanding public service and promotion of Federal Government information. James will also discuss how the working relationship between the GPO and libraries help communities throughout the country. The Public Printer will address how GPO is advancing with its Future Digital System (FDSys). Once complete, FDSys will be a one-stop site for Americans to access Government information.

WHEN: Sunday, October 22, 2006
1:00 p.m. - Public Printer's Remarks
2:30 p.m. - Library of the Year Award

WHERE: Hyatt Regency Washington
400 New Jersey Avenue, NW
Ticonderoga/York/Valley Forge Room
Washington, DC 20401

ABOUT GPO: The U.S. Government Printing Office is the Federal Government's primary centralized resource for gathering, cataloging, producing, providing, authenticating, and preserving published U.S. Government information in all its forms. GPO is responsible for the production and distribution of information products and services for all three branches of the Federal Government. In addition to publication sales, GPO makes Government information available at no cost to the public through GPO Access (www.gpoaccess.gov), and through partnerships with more than 1,250 libraries nationwide participating in the Federal Depository Library Program. For more information, please visit www.gpo.gov.

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